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285 Pacific Ave., Toronto,
May 14, 1918.

The President,
Sir Robert Falconer,
University of Toronto.

Dear Sir:-

On the advice of the head of my department, Dr. Bensley, I have taken the liberty of appealing to you in regard to one of my recent examinations.

According to official notification, I obtained second class honour standing in fourth year Biological and Physical Sciences but am prevented from taking my degree this Convocation by a star in pass modern history. My approximate mark in this subject is thirty-five, at most five marks below the requirement. I have tried, again at Professor Bensley's suggestion, to see Professor Wrong and Professor Hooke, the examiners in modern history, but they are both out of town and I could not get into connection with any other member of the staff. It was my intention to ask that my paper be reread, especially since I had done considerable work in this subject.

Dr. Bensley said I had done good work in my honour subjects and at his suggestion I have put this matter before you.

If health permits, I intend to do national service work, for which I have been preparing, but cannot undertake it if I have a supplementary examination this fall.

I should be very grateful, if you could possibly find time to look into this matter before Convocation

Yours sincerely
Clara Adele Brown.

May 15th, 1918

Miss C. A. Brown,

285 Pacific Avenue,

Toronto.

Dear Miss Brown:

I have looked into your case and find that it stands as follows: You were as you say below the line in History and that paper was read a second time so that the Revising Committee has not the power to raise you from the marks which were below those from which it can ordinarily make an advancement. Professor Wrong is the only one to whom an appeal could be made and he is in New York and may not be back until it would be too late on Friday to do anything for this Convocation. As soon as he returns the matter will be referred to him, but no one else has it in his power to take action over his decision in such a matter as this.

I am very sorry for you but I do not see that I can do anything else in the meantime.

Yours sincerely,

President.